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### MESSAGE:

**Applicant(s): Stefan B. EDLUND et al.**

**Serial No. 09/417,065**

**For: AUTOMATED PURCHASING AGENT SYSTEM AND METHOD**

**Enclosed are the following:**

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**BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT**  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application, and the following:

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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims (Small Entity)	13	-	31	0	18.00 ( 9.00)	0
Independent claims (Small Entity)	3	-	6	0	84.00 (42.00)	0
Multiple Dependent (Small Entity)	0	-	0	0	280.00 (140.00)	0
Extension of Time Fee (Small Entity)	One Month	\$110	Two Months	\$400 (\$200)	Three Months	\$920 (\$460)
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<b>Total</b>						<b>\$0.00</b>

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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

The following amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 5, 2002, please enter and consider remarks as follows:

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